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**SMITH**

TITLE: **MOBILE ORIGINATED INTERNET RELAY CHAT**

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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

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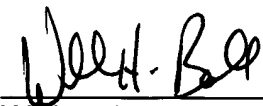
Sir:

Responsive to the Restriction Requirement dated May 7, 2002, the Applicants hereby elect the Group I claims 1-12 and 20-31, including allowable claims 12 and 31, with traverse.

The Applicants traverse the requirement as the Examiner has ALREADY EXAMINED all claims of the current application.

It is respectfully submitted that the subject application is in condition for allowance and a Notice to that effect is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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